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AMENDMENT COVER SHEET

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Gao, Yang

SERIAL NO.: 09/940,904 FILED: 8/27/2001

FOR: System for Improved Use of Pitch Enhancement with Subcodebooks

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THIRD MONTH AFTER TIME PERIOD SET	1,020.00	510.00	\$
FOURTH MONTH AFTER TIME PERIOD SET	1,590.00	795.00	\$

☐ TOTAL EXTENSION FEE \$ 0.00

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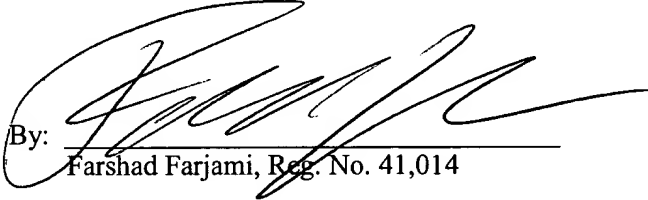
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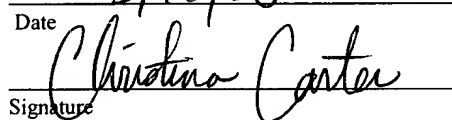
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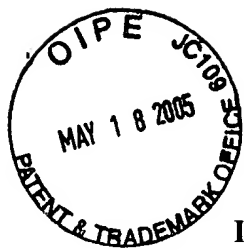
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO *FINAL* OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment and Response is submitted in response to the *Final* Office Action, dated April 27, 2005, in the above-referenced patent application. Please enter and consider the following remarks.